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FOR: SUBSTRATE SUCH AS A GLASS

SUBSTRATE WITH A

HYDROPHOBIC SURFACE AND IMPROVED DURABILITY OF HYDROPHOBIC PROPERTIES

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated June 3, 2011 and the Advisory Action of October 27, 2011, please amend and reconsider the application in light of the following. A Request for Continued Examination is filed with this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.